

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

HB 2496 - SB 2594

February 26, 2016

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes the Alcoholic Beverage Commission (ABC), and multiple other state boards, commissions, programs, and divisions, to use discretion if and when denying, suspending, withholding, limiting, or revoking licenses, permits, or certificates from applicants when the applicant has been convicted of a felony offense.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Currently a felony offense of any kind automatically provides for suspension, revocation, or a refusal to issue an initial or renewed license, permit or certificate.
- This legislation could result in a slight increase in licensees, permit holders, and certificate holders to the various boards, commissions, programs and divisions, if a license, permit or certificate is granted to an applicant that would not have otherwise received such under current law.
- The number of additional licenses, permits or certificates that will be issued as a result of this bill is estimated to be not significant.
- Any increase in licensure or permit fee revenue is estimated to be not significant.
- No significant increase in state expenditures for boards, commissions, programs or divisions to process additional applications.

IMPACT TO COMMERCE:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumption:

- This legislation is not expected to have a significant impact on commerce or jobs in Tennessee.

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CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in dark ink that reads "Krista M. Lee". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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